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Sent: 8/15/2018 4:25:00 PM
To: Lawrence Lansdale (lawrence.lansdale@navy.mil) [lawrence.lansdale@navy.mil]; Ostrowski, Kimberly A CIV NAVFACHQ, BRAC PMO (kimberly.ostrowski@navy.mil) [kimberly.ostrowski@navy.mil]
Subject: FW: FW: Request for written explanation of why Treasure Island is not on the NPL Superfund Site list

Good morning Lawrence and Kim,

Below please find an email from Greenaction raising concerns about the work that Tetra Tech is/has done at Treasure Island. Is Tetra Tech EC, Inc performing the work at TI?

Thanks,
Angeles

From: Bradley Angel **Personal Email / Ex. 6**
Sent: Tuesday, August 14, 2018 2:44 PM
To: Herrera, Angeles <Herrera.Angeles@epa.gov>
Cc: Manzanilla, Enrique <Manzanilla.Enrique@epa.gov>; Miller, Amy <Miller.Amy@epa.gov>; Strauss, Alexis <Strauss.Alexis@epa.gov>; **Personal Email / Ex. 6**
Subject: Re: FW: Request for written explanation of why Treasure Island is not on the NPL Superfund Site list

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Hi Angeles,

Thanks for this response.

However we strongly disagree with your statement that the "cleanup is making good progress...."

I guess if you trust Tetra Tech, which your agency does not, and if you think it is ok for low income people of color in subsidized housing to live feet from radioactive waste - with many illnesses reported - then I can see saying the cleanup is going well. In reality, it is a horrible situation that is an imminent threat to public health and the environment.

No human being should live so close to radioactive and hazardous waste.

No government agency anywhere should trust the work done by Tetra Tech at a minimum without going back and properly retesting each and every bit of work they have done or claimed to have done.

Shall I email you what your own agency says about Tetra Tech?

Bradley

On 8/14/2018 2:34 PM, Herrera, Angeles wrote:

Dear Bradly,

It was good to see you last month. Thank you for your inquiry. Treasure Island has a Superfund Site ID because it went through the Site Assessment process. While the Site scored high enough for NPL listing, cleanup was already being conducted by the Navy and the State was providing the regulatory oversight, so the determination was made that the site qualified for "Other Cleanup Activity" Status. That means that the cleanup will be done by another party, and EPA currently does not have a role. The cleanup is making good progress under the State's oversight, and NPL listing is not being pursued.

All Site Assessment documents have been released to the public pursuant to a Freedom of Information Act inquiry, which can be accessed at the following website: <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/view/request?objectId=090004d28037bf2e>

Inquiries regarding the status of cleanup at Treasure Island may be directed to:

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CA Department of Toxic Substances Control
700 Heinz Ave, Berkeley, CA 94710
(510) 540 – 3773
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If you have any questions or comments, please contact me.

Best Regards,

Angeles

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From: LEE, LILY
Sent: Monday, July 30, 2018 1:57 PM
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From: Bradley Angel <Personal Email / Ex. 6>
Date: July 30, 2018 at 3:22:25 PM CDT
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Cc: "Miller, Amy" <Miller.Amy@epa.gov>, "Strauss, Alexis" <Strauss.Alexis@epa.gov>, Personal Email / Ex. 6 carol harvey
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Hello EPA,

Can you explain in writing why Treasure Island, which has a Superfund ID number, is not on the NPL Superfund list?

When a few of us met with you recently, you explained why this site was not on NPL - which we disagree with.

As you know we and many others believe it should be on the NPL.

A number of residents and advocates are asking me about this, and we would all appreciate you putting in writing how TI got a Superfund number but why it apparently never made it onto the NPL list.

So could you put this in writing for us and others? Thanks

Bradley Angel